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WHEELING, AUGUST 29, 1894.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

FOR CONGRESS—FIRST DISTRICT.
 B. B. DOVERNER,
 of Ohio County.
 FOR STATE SENATOR—FIRST DISTRICT.
 N. E. WHITAKER.
 FOR HOUSE OF DELEGATES.
 JOSEPH C. BRADY.
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 S. G. SMITH.
 FOR JUDGE OF THE CRIMINAL COURT.
 T. J. HUGUS.
 FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.
 JAMES C. LEWIS.

"HOW can we face the people after indulging in such outrageous discrimination and violations of principle?"

—CLEVELAND'S LETTER TO WILSON.

"THERE is no excuse for mistaking or misapprehending the feeling and the temper of the rank and file of Democracy. They are determined under the assertion that their party fails in ability to manage the government, and they are apprehensive that efforts to bring about tariff reform may fail; but they are much more downcast and apprehensive in their fear that Democratic principles may be surrendered."

—CLEVELAND'S LETTER TO WILSON.

What Does It Mean?

Nothing in Mr. Cleveland's career is so remarkable as the two tariff letters which he has lately addressed to members of the house and caused to be given to the country; and of the two, by far the more remarkable is the one addressed to Representative Catchings and by him given to the press.

The letter to Mr. Wilson was a desperate effort to control the tariff legislation of the Democratic party, to defeat the senate bill and to pull out of the wreck the bill passed by the house. The effort failed, but when it was made there was some chance of its success, or, at least, reason to suppose there was.

When the Catchings letter was written the die was cast. The senate bill, representing "party perjury and party dishonor" had passed both houses. Only Mr. Cleveland could keep it from becoming a law, and this he had not the courage to do. The bill was within a few hours of going on the statute books as Democratic legislation and the best the Democratic party had been able to do after nine months of effort.

This being the situation, why did the President, the official head of his party; go out of his way to heap new denunciations on the bill and once more to hold it up to the public ridicule and contempt? What did he hope to gain for his party by reminding the country again that the measure is of dishonest and disreputable origin and rankly offensive?

Did he think for a moment that the measure or his party would be strengthened in the good opinion of the people by telling them that "the deadly blight of treason" is on the new tariff law?

Finally what could he hope to gain for his party by burning into the public consciousness the disgraceful fact that the trusts and combinations, "the communism of pol," had taken the Democratic party by the throat and compelled that organization to do their bidding?

The inference is unavoidable that the President earnestly desires the defeat of his party in the coming elections, hoping that the chastening rod of 1894 may put the party in better trim for 1896. Whatever may happen in '96, the rod will be laid on with vigor in '94.

"I do not claim to be better than the masses of my party," says Mr. Cleveland. What! No longer? This abdication of an altitudinous standing would break the hearts of the Mugwumps if there were any Mugwumps left.

The War Goes On.

The Democratic President is one of "those who refuse to accept the results embodied in this bill as the close of the war." The close of the war on what? On the industries of the United States, the earnings of the men and women who must do daily work to get their daily bread, of every man, woman and child whose living is dependent on the successful course of trade in this country.

Chairman Wilson has told the country that the end is not yet—that the fight has only begun. Now comes Mr. Cleveland saying that he and those who think with him, the great bulk of the Democratic party, are by no means ready to cry quits.

We have not come to the "close of the war," we have only seen the first

skirmish. So long as the Democratic party has the power it will keep up the agitation until it shall realize to the full its dream of so-called tariff reform, otherwise free trade.

The country is to be kept in a state of uncertainty, its industries upset, its general business feverish, so that the party of theorists may whack away on the line of its foreign theory. The country is indebted to Mr. Cleveland for his frankness.

"Forewarned is forearmed." If the people do not want that kind of thing they can stop it at the ballot box.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND is determined to defeat his party this year, in which noble effort he will have lots of help.

Congress shuts down.

Congress has shut up shop for the session and members have started home to face their constituents. The session, including the extra session, has lasted 355 days, having been exceeded in length by but two previous sessions in the history of Congress. During this session the compulsory clause of the Sherman silver act was repealed, also the federal election law. Pensions were cut down nearly \$30,000.

The legislation for which the session will be memorable is, of course, the new tariff law, over which Congress spent nine months. The abortion at last brought forth might easily have been produced in much less time and to the earlier relief of the country from the agony of suspense, but with all their majority the Democrats were incapable of formulating a policy that could command their party support, and the country has had to suffer for it.

If this were all the Democratic party might be forgiven, but a party which does the country with such medicine as even a Democratic President refuses to take cannot look to the people for forgiveness of its sins. It is safe to say that no Congress that has ever met in this country has done so much harm as the one which has just adjourned followed by the maledictions of the people.

CHINAPNESS, cheapness, cheapness, cries the President. The cry of the people is for work at good wages. They will take care of the rest.

An Interesting Situation.

The Democratic split in the Thirteenth senatorial district is no surprise. According to party usage it was Morgan county's turn to name the nominee for state senator. Jefferson and Berkeley combined against the little county and knocked out usage in one short round. The Jefferson and Berkeley Democrats have therefore nominated Mr. Catlett and the Democrats of Morgan have nominated Mr. Ungler.

The district is heavily Democratic, but the Democrats can't elect two of their men. What the result is to be will depend on future developments. Republicans may be able to play an important part in the district. The split is right where Congressman Wilson lives, and the leaders in his own county have helped to force it.

"THERE are provisions in this bill," says the President, "which are not in line with honest tariff reform, and it contains inconsistencies which ought not to appear in tariff laws or laws of any kind." Right you are, Mr. President, and the people are about to wipe up a considerable portion of the earth with the party which is responsible for these dishonest provisions and unpardonable inconsistencies.

The heavy pall of smoke which settled over a great part of the Ohio valley last evening and remained through the night set everybody to guessing. No sufficient local cause for it was known, and a not unreasonable theory is that it may have come from the great forest fires in the west. Similar fires have produced like effect here.

THE President speaks of the Gorman bill as "legislation which, though disappointing, is still chargeable to Democratic effort." This is what has been said and will continue to be said by opponents of that measure. The sole responsibility is on the Democratic party, and that party will have to take its medicine accordingly.

"TREACHERY and half-heartedness in their camp," that is to say the Democratic camp, are making Mr. Cleveland sick. Why not get out of that camp and seek rest in an other where there are no such things?

The President baits his hook with the suggestion that the popgun bills will yet be passed. He knows that the senate will not consent to them. Only a very silly gudgeon will be caught with that bait.

OVER the shoulders of Catchings the Democratic party catches it again from the man it put in the white house. He is mad through and through and means mischief.

HON. WILLIAM L. WILSON will be re-nominated to-day. In a few days the Republicans of the district will select a man to knock him out.

BREAKFAST BUDGET.

Senator Caffery, of Louisiana, has an "jeun" who will not shake hands. He thinks it is a senseless thing and refuses to practice it. When a stranger is introduced to Caffery he, of course, stretches out his hand in greeting, but the Louisiana senator pays no attention to it and the man has to draw it back. For years he has observed this custom and maintains it even in the senate, the paradise of handshaking.

Oronhyatoka is the name of the most distinguished member of the Mohawk tribe. He lives in Toronto, is a practicing physician, and draws \$1,000 a year as supreme chief ranger of the Order of Foresters in Canada. No one but himself knows his age. He looks forty-five and is suspected of being seventy.

Mrs. B. L. Randall, of Roxbury, a descendant of Sam Adams, of revolutionary fame, recently presented the Boston Museum of Fine Art a china

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

punch bowl and salver, once the property of Lafayette, and by him presented to Adams.

The driest place in the world is that part of Egypt between the two lower falls of the Nile. Rain has never been known to fall there, and the inhabitants do not believe travelers when told that water can fall from the sky.

The test for symmetry is to turn a man with his face toward the wall. If he is perfectly formed his chest will touch it, his nose will be four inches away, his thighs five, the tips of his toes three.

Fishhooks are precisely the same in shape to-day as they were twenty centuries ago. The only difference is in the material; then they were made of bronze, now they are made of steel.

New Hampshire was formerly called Lacia. It received its present name in 1829, being first called New Hampshire by Captain John Mason, who had been a resident of Hampshire, England.

Sir John Lubbock is the one man of the present age who has won distinction as a man of letters, a scientist, a politician and business man.

Mrs. S. E. Taylor, a Georgia preacher, is said to surpass Sam Jones in the plainness and persuasiveness of her pulpit eloquence.

The word "mugwump" occurs several times in Elliot's translation of the Bible. In that book it signifies a great chief.

Some men ought to be ashamed of themselves, but they never happen to think about it.—Galveston News.

"Sweet" and "dear" will be synonymous terms as applied to sugar under the new law.

The first caricaturist is said to have been Antiphatas, an Egyptian, about B. C. 332.

NEWSPAPER FUN.

"How much for the trip?" asked a tourist in Palestine of a boatman who had taken him to several points of interest in the Sea of Galilee. "Ten shekels, sir." "What!" exclaimed the traveler, "ten shekels? Why, that is an outrageous charge." "Can't help it, sir. That's what folks have paid over since the sea was here." "Well," growled the voyager, as he handed over the money, "I don't wonder that Peter tried to walk it."—Texas Siftings.

The following was overheard between a Columbian student and his best girl: "Oh, Will, what lovely flowers! They look as if they had just been gathered. Why, there is a little dew upon them." Will (slightly embarrassed): "Not a cent, I assure you; not a cent."—Christian Register.

First Villager—Wall, that's the queerest thing I ever saw.

Second Villager—Eh? What?

First Villager—A bicyclist goin' along the public street, and he isn't tryin' to break the record.—New York Weekly.

He failed in society, truth we must tell; He didn't quite meet the demands; He had wealth and refinement; he danced very well.

Small Boy—I wish you would come over to the house and see about our new baby.

Dr. Reaper—What's the matter with the new baby, my boy?

Small Boy—I want you to take him back.—New York Herald.

Minnie—So you have concluded not to adopt bloomers, have you?

Mamie—Yes. I see by the papers that they are getting so common that the men do not stare at them any more.—Indianapolis Journal.

Distressed Young Mother (traveling with a crying infant)—Dear me! I don't know what to do with this baby. Thoughtful Bachelor (in the next seat)—Shall I open the window for you, madam?—Life.

"To whom are we indebted for this call?" smiled Mrs. Watibait, as she greeted a good-looking man at the front door. "The butcher, ma'am," was the reply. "It's \$3.68. There's the bill."—Glen Falls Republican.

Mr. Kilbrade (a visiting Englishman)—By the way, Boston is within a few hours of New York, isn't it? Miss Vinton (of New York)—Oh, dear no; it isn't within twenty years of it.—Tome.

Savours—Oldboy must be crazy! Sallows—What makes you think so?

Travers—He is trying to push a rapid transit scheme in Philadelphia.—Life.

FOR WHOM? BENEFIT?

Large Profits to the City Gas Works, but Poor Value to the Consumer.

To the Editor of the Intelligencer.

SIR:—The subject of illuminating gas has come before our people in a way that specially concerns every consumer. Standard, merchantable gas has not been maintained and delivered to our citizens for the past two or three months.

This result comes from the fact that the board of gas trustees is trying to make 500 per cent profit by mixing natural gas with the illuminating coal gas made by the city gas works.

The chemical constituents of these two gases are quite unlike, natural gas containing the elements necessary for the production of high heat, while illuminating gas, made from a good quality of coal, has nearly twice the light producing properties of natural gas, the latter being quite deficient in carbon.

With these plain facts before the community, would it not be well to abandon this mad rush for profits and deal fairly and honestly with our citizens and taxpayers?

The city gas works have heretofore been a paying investment, a very fair margin of profit having been made year after year. Why not, then, under these aspects of the case, "let well enough alone," and deliver to the consumers of this city the quality of gas they pay for?

WHEELING, August 28.

It don't take much money now to make your home restful and pleasing. Come and see some nice designs of Wall Paper, cheap. 1011 Main street.

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FRENCH TROOPS MASSACRED.

By Arabs in a Sortie from Timbuctoo. Natives Killed.

PARIS, August 28.—Most startling news has reached here from Senegal, West Africa. The French garrison at Timbuctoo, after three days' desperate fighting with the Taregs and other hostile tribes which have been investing that city for a long time, made a sortie. The beleaguering forces were overwhelming in numbers and fell upon the sortie party, fairly annihilating it.

This news has caused consternation in many circles, as it is the second serious disaster the French have met with in the vicinity of Timbuctoo since that important Soudanese town was occupied by them early in the present year.

The Arabs massacred nearly the entire detachment.

A French column marched on Niakoussa, and in less than a quarter of an hour killed over 100 of the African warriors. The others took to flight, and the village was captured without loss.

The Czar's Health Very Bad.

St. Petersburg, August 28.—The health of the czar is causing general anxiety in Russia. There is no longer any doubt that his majesty is threatened with grave kidney troubles. It has been apparent for some time to those who have seen the czar in public that he is a sick man. He has grown thin, his complexion is pale and of a bad color, and he has the air of a man who is greatly fatigued. This was commonly remarked among the spectators at the recent launching of an armored cruiser.

A Wreck Near Caldwell.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

CALDWELL, O., August 28.—A freight wreck occurred on the Cleveland & Marietta railroad near Ava, north of this place, last night, in which several cars were derailed and badly smashed up. No lives were reported lost, but one man had his leg broken and shoulder badly mashed. All trains are badly delayed.

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